

# **CITY of BEAVERTON**

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# CAST YOUR VOTE FOR CITY OF BEAVERTON'S ANNUAL FLICKS BY THE FOUNTAIN

- Pick Your Flick for Augusts' Family-Friendly Movie Series -

**BEAVERTON**, **Oregon (April 14, 2010)** – What do you want to watch this summer? Here's your chance to decide what movies we'll show this August at **Flicks by the Fountain**. Voters have until **Friday**, **May 28 at 5 p.m.** to choose a favorite movie from four categories: comedy, action/drama, classic/musical and animated/family.

Whether you like action, the classics or just a good comedy, there is something for everyone at Beaverton's annual family-friendly outdoor movie series. **Flicks by the Fountain** are held each Friday night in August at Beaverton City Park (**5th Street** and **Hall Boulevard**, across from the **Beaverton City Library**). All movies will begin at sunset with fun, interactive pre-show activities presented by the Beaverton Arts Commission starting at 8 p.m.

"Flicks by the Fountain is a great opportunity to gather with your family, friends and neighbors to enjoy a favorite movie in our beautiful City Park," said **Mayor Denny Doyle**. "It's time to make our movie choices and get ready to enjoy this summer tradition together."

#### **MOVIE CHOICES:**

### **COMEDY**

Kicking and Screaming – 95 min/PG The Longshots – 94 min/PG Ferris Bueller's Day Off – 102 min/PG-13 Back to the Future – 115 min/PG

#### **CLASSIC/MUSICAL**

Footloose – 107 min/PG American Graffiti – 112 min/PG Singing in the Rain – 102 min/NR ET – 115 min/PG

# ACTION/DRAMA

We Are Marshall – 131 min/PG Jumanji – 104 min/PG The Blind Side – 129 min/PG-13 Field of Dreams – 107 min/PG

### **ANIMATED/FAMILY**

Shark Tale – 90 min/PG
Kung Fu Panda – 92 min/PG
Over the Hedge – 83 min/PG
Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs – 90 min/PG

Participants may cast their vote online at **www.BeavertonOregon.gov/Flicks** and choose just one movie from each category. The winning movies will be announced in June. All movies are rated NR (not rated), PG (parental guidance suggested) or PG-13 (parents strongly cautioned). Only one vote per person or email address will be accepted.

For more information about Flicks by the Fountain or for other citywide events, please visit **www.BeavertonOregon.gov** or email events@ci.beaverton.or.us.

### **ABOUT BEAVERTON**

Beaverton was recently named the **safest city in the Northwest** for the third consecutive year. Among other accolades, Beaverton was also lauded as one of the **Best Places to Raise Kids in America by BusinessWeek** magazine, one of the **Top 100 Best Places to Live in America by Money** magazine, an **All-America City finalist in 2005**, is recognized by the Environmental Protection Agency as a **Green Power Community** and is designated as a **Bronze Award Bicycle Friendly Community** by the League of American Bicyclists. Beaverton also enjoys the most diverse population (by percentage of population) among Oregon cities.

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